

John Shaver papers

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Summary Information

Repository	Indiana State Library
Title	John Shaver papers
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Biographical Note

John Shaver enlisted as a private around February 14, 1781, in Virginia, serving under Capt. Reuben Field, Col. Thomas Gaskins' Regiment in the Army of the Revolution, until September 1783. He moved to Switzerland County, Indiana thereafter. His pension claim lists a wife and three children.

"Shaver, John". (1938). In Roster of Soldiers and Patriots of the American Revolution buried in Indiana. (p. 328). Indiana Daughters of the American Revolution. ISLG 973.34 I385d 1981

Biographical Note

Samuel Alley, born June 25, 1761 in Henrico County, Virginia, also served as a private in the Revolutionary War. He married Mary Osborne in 1786 and they had 11 children. He wrote a publication, Christian Counsel, or, Error Reproved, published in 1846. He died on August 12, 1847 in Shelby County, Indiana.

"Alley, Samuel". (1981) In Indiana Authors and their books, 1967-1980. (p. 3). Crawfordsville, IN: Wabash College. ISLI 16.810 B291I

Scope and Contents

This collection includes official documents from various clerks in Indiana and at the federal War Department in ranging from 1827 to 1833 regarding Revolutionary War pensions for John Shaver and Samuel Alley.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Indiana State Library

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Custodial History

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Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Alley, Samuel
- Shaver, John

Subject(s)

- Military pensions
- Rare Books and Manuscripts
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